

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute claims 34 and 65 as provided below, for claims 34 and 65 currently in the present application.

34. (Amended) The machine monitor system of claim 33, wherein the status information includes a plurality of pieces of information and said local monitor unit comprises:

local information getting means for getting the status information from the plurality of machines through the first-type computer network;

local information retention means for retaining the status information gotten by said local information getting means; and

local information transmission means for transmitting at least a part of a plurality of pieces of the status information retained in said local information retention means to said integrated monitor unit through the second-type computer network, and wherein

said integrated monitor unit comprises:

global information getting means for receiving the status information through the second-type computer network;

a database for storing information concerning the plurality of machines;

database management means for updating said database based on the status information gotten by said global information getting means; and

display means for displaying the information stored on said database.

65. (Amended) A computer-readable medium storing a program for causing a computer connected to a plurality of machines to be monitored through a computer network to execute:

a global information getting step of getting status information indicating an operation state of each of the plurality of machines to be monitored through the computer network;

a database management step of updating a machine database storing monitor information of the plurality of machines based on the status information; and

a display step of displaying the information stored on the machine database on a display in installation area units of the plurality of machines.